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In re Application for:

Ho-Jin Kweon, et al.

Serial No.: 09/579,576

Filed: May 25, 2000

For: **POSITIVE ACTIVE MATERIAL
COMPOSITION FOR RECHARGEABLE
LITHIUM BATTERY AND METHOD OF
PREPARING POSITIVE ELECTRODE
USING SAME**

Examiner: Wills, M.

Art Group: 1745

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 9, 2001, the Applicants request reconsideration based on the following amendment and response.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Amended) A positive active material slurry composition comprising:
a physical mixture of
a positive active material comprising a lithiated transition metal compound, and an additive
selected from the group consisting of semi-metals, metals and oxides thereof;
a binder; and
an organic solvent.
5. (Amended) A method of preparing a positive electrode for a rechargeable lithium battery
comprising the steps of: